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NEWS IN A NUTSHELL

Paragraphs That Give Condensed News of the Day.

THE WEATHER.

Weather Bureau, Honolulu, 1 p. m.
Light southerly air; weather fair.
Morning minimum temperature, 66;
midday maximum temperature, 80;
barometer, 29.9, steady, (corrected for gravity); rainfall, 24 hours ending 9 a. m., .00; absolute moisture, 2 a. m., 6.8 grains per cubic foot; humidity, 9 a. m., 70 per cent.

R. C. LYDECKER,
Territorial Meteorologist.

Judge De Bolt is building a cottage at Kaimuki.

List of officers for Castle & Cooke is published in this issue.

Pacheco's Dandruff Killer restores color and stops falling of the hair.

For a good meal go to the Royal Restaurant on King street near Maunakea.

It is rumored that the Third Infantry may be sent here to replace the Coast Artillery.

Mrs. George D. Gear returned by the Sierra yesterday from a visit to the coast.

Many tourists and strangers were among those who arrived on the Sierra yesterday.

The Oahu Sugar Company's stock books will be closed from the 11th to the 15th inclusive.

When you get that tired feeling it is a sign you should drink a glass of Primo Lager at meal times.

The Hawaiian Band played at the Hawaiian Hotel last evening. There was a good attendance.

William Luther, formerly of Honolulu, is in the Odd Fellows' Home, Oakland, suffering from paralysis.

Carl Du Roi manager of B. F. Ehlers & Co., returned by the Sierra yesterday from a business trip to the mainland.

On Tuesday evening little George McCandless, son of Mrs. W. McCandless, had his left arm broken by a fall.

Wage earners are especially directed to examine into the plan of savings offered by the Phoenix S. B. & L. Assn.

A party of marines for the United States Naval station at Tutuila are aboard the Sierra en route to Pago Pago.

S. Ozaki has now on display in his store on Hotel street a fine line of linen and silk embroidered table scarfs, also new line of gents' furnishing goods.

The second lecture on "First Aid to the Injured" will be given this evening at the Seaman's Institute by Dr. Sinclair.

The Ladies Hospital Supply Society of the Chinese Hospital, is holding special meeting at the hospital today at 2 p. m.

Alexander Young returned by the Sierra from the coast whither he went on account of the severe illness of Mrs. Young.

Meteorologist Lydecker says that the storm which has been threatening in the southwest seems to be working around so as to miss the islands.

Charlotte Bertha Spencer has filed suit for divorce against James O. Spencer. They were married in 1898. The wife alleges that her husband deserted her early in January, 1903.

J. C. Williamson, a theatrical manager of Australia is on the Sierra en route home. He has engaged Annie Russell, Andrew Mack and other notables of the American stage.

The best garden hose to be had in the city is the "Diamond" brand. This is a 5-ply hose specially made to meet the conditions of tropical climates. To be had only at W. W. Dimond & Co., Ltd.

The casino at the Waialae terminus of the Rapid Transit road has been named "Kokokasino" by its projector A. V. Gear. There is a roof garden, a dancing floor and a refreshment counter.

Invitations have been issued for the "Infanta Kapiolani, daughter of Prince and Princess Kawanakoa, for a birthday reception at the residence of Col. and Mrs. Samuel Parker on March 14, from 3 to 5."

Two of the Catholic sisters Sisters Albina and Benedicta who left here some months ago to visit the Mother House at Syracuse, New York and St. Louis on business, returned by the Sierra after a pleasant trip.

Tourists should go to Hawaiian News Co., in Alexander Young Building, for one of those delightful little native musical instruments—the ukelele. They're made of beautiful Hawaiian woods and easy to learn to play.

William Langton of the Paradise of the Pacific returned by the Sierra yesterday from an extended trip to San Francisco and Southern California. He says many inquiries were made of him regarding Hawaii, and particularly regarding the pineapple industry here.

Since W. M. Giffard in the Hawaiian Forester and Agriculturist began the discussion of cotton growing as a possible new industry of profit for these islands, there has been considerable

discussion of the subject, and a general exchange of already acquired experiments in growing cotton here.

The concert and dance on the roof garden of the Alexander Young Hotel last evening was well attended and thoroughly enjoyable. The 12th Infantry band played a concert from 7:30 to 10 o'clock. Following that the Hotel Quintette played dance music. Besides the officers and ladies from the transport, there were many people from town.

BALLOU AFTER TELEPHONE AGAIN

S. M. Ballou this morning filed a motion to have the telephone company and Superintendent Lehigh sentenced for contempt, for failure to obey the order of Judge Gear with regard to placing Ballou's name in the telephone books. The name has been placed in many books, in accordance with Gear's order, but it is claimed that not all of the books have the name in now. The motion for sentence is based on the following affidavit by J. W. Bergstrom:

"J. W. Bergstrom, being duly sworn, on oath deposes and says that he is the President of the Bergstrom Music Co., Ltd., a subscriber to the telephone service of the Mutual Telephone Company, that a short time ago said Bergstrom Music Company Limited received a telephone directory dated March 1904 for use in its office, which Telephone directory does not contain the name and telephone number of S. M. Ballou and that said name and telephone number of S. M. Ballou has not been inserted in said book up to the date of this affidavit.

"J. W. BERGSTROM.
"Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of March, 1904 B. L. Marx notary Public First Judicial Circuit, Territory of Hawaii."

Ballou's motion is to be heard before Gear at 9:30 tomorrow morning.

AN HONEST MAN

James D. Dole, of Wahiawa, started Secretary Atkinson this morning by announcing that he didn't think he was earning his salary from the government. Dole gets \$30 a month as a forester and was doubtful about whether he earned it. His honesty produced a great shock in the Capitol building. Dole wants to be given more work, or else he will have to refuse to accept his salary. He is a nephew of the former governor.

THE PROBLEM CLUB.

The Problem Club at the Y. M. C. A. will meet tonight at 7:30 instead of the usual hour, 8:30. There will be no dinner served in the building tonight, as the illness of Mrs. Brown will not permit of her assuming that responsibility any longer. T. McCants Stewart will be the speaker of the evening, his subject being "Herodity." General discussion follows the reading of the paper. All members and strangers are invited to attend, and especial attention is called to the change of time.

THE KOHALA DITCH.

A. C. Gehr was asked yesterday as to his intentions in the matter of the Kohala ditch franchise, which is to be offered at auction next Saturday. Gehr refused to state what he would do, but it is reported that he will have some objections to make to the sale and that he will have a bid ready in the event of the objections being overruled.

"There will be no other bona fide bidders," said Gehr, when asked if he thought any parties aside from those represented by him and those whom McCrosson represents would compete for the franchise. It has been reported that other parties were preparing to enter the competition, but only two bids are yet in sight.

The terms of the offer have now been finally settled. The parties who get the contract will have to begin work at once, as the time for construction of the first section has been reduced to eighteen months. The ditch is believed to be one of the greatest, if not the greatest engineering proposition ever attempted in the islands. There is one tunnel which will have to be constructed for the ditch about a mile in length, and there will be other tunnels and dunes.

The upper lands which are to be drained aggregate over 23,000 acres on which a heavy rain falls and from which most of the water runs to the sea. Passengers to and from Hilo as they pass along the coast see a succession of waterfalls along the Hamakua bluffs, which shows some of the water which the Kohala ditch people propose to divert from the highlands into their great ditch, in which it is to be carried into Kohala lowlands. It will furnish irrigation for a vast area of land which is practically useless without water, much of it cane land and homestead land. The completion and opening of the ditch will thus add greatly to the productive acreage of the island of Hawaii.

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